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WEATHER—For Kentucky
Probably rain Thursday

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

There are now 43 County Agents in Kentucky.

The oldest man in Chicago, Jacob Harris, aged 102, a Republican since 1861, has come out for Wilson.

The Democratic Women's Bureau has opened headquarters in Seelbach's Hotel, Louisville, with Mrs. Hardie P. Ripy, chairman, in charge.

Elimination of the word "obey" in the woman's answer in the Episcopal marriage service was recommended at St. Louis, but action deferred for three years.

Costs are not part of a fine and remission of the latter does not carry exoneration from costs with it in the opinion of Assistant Attorney General Charles H. Morris.

The Booster trips are bearing fruit already. One of the merchants sold three suits of clothes and another a bill of groceries, to people from Bumpus Mill, Monday.

The Court of Appeals affirmed the Jefferson Circuit Court, which dismissed a revenue agent's suit to collect an inheritance tax on \$300,000 adjudged to Ellen J. Ewald, widow of L. P. Ewald.

The Allies have seized the entire navy of Greece and recognized a rebellion and provisional government on the island of Crete. Things seem to be drifting towards a republic with Venizelos at the head of it.

The delegates to the State Medical Society's meeting here Oct. 24 to 26 will come in Tuesday and the first meeting will be Tuesday night. All indications point to an attendance of 300 or 400 doctors and 60 ladies.

Democrats should bear in mind that the vote for Stanley and Morrow last year showed a majority for Morrow in the Third Judicial district. Christian gave 2100 majority to Morrow due to disaffection among Democrats. No such disaffection is apparent this year towards Wilson or Judge Bush, but it must not be overlooked that the figures show that Judge Bush's election cannot be taken for granted.

When the Boosters get to Cerulean they will find the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stice thrown open to them with hot coffee and refreshments for the visitors. If necessary one of the ten-minute hot-air speeches will be cut to make room for hot coffee. Mrs. Stice's hospitality is proverbial and many Hopkinsville people have been entertained at her home. Mr. Stice operates the flour mill at Cerulean.

Apparently there are very few Hughes supporters in New York who are willing to risk their money by laying odds on their favorite's chances at 10 to 7. Saturday large quantities of Wilson money appeared in Wall Street and other betting centers. The Wilson men sought to bet it at 10 to 7, taking the short end, but they found no one willing to lay those odds. A wealthy Ohio Democrat also appeared with \$25,000, which he tried to lay against \$25,000 that Wilson would carry Ohio. He found no takers.

MR. ALLENSWORTH'S DATES.

As B. Allensworth has wound up his court business for this term and has offered his services to the Democrat committee for the rest of the campaign. He will make two speeches in Lyon county Saturday and four in Daviess, four in Henderson and four in Hopkins next week. The last week of the campaign will be spent in the judicial district.

CLARK-ROGERS.

Y. G. Clark, a farmer, aged 25 years, and Miss Gertrude B. Rogers, aged 24, both of Stewart county, Tenn., were married at the courthouse here Tuesday. Judge Knight performed the ceremony.

BOOSTER TRIP POSTPONED

Rain Yesterday Made Dirt Roads Too Heavy For The Schedule.

NEXT TUESDAY THE DAY

Route Extended to Golden Pond Across The Cumberland River.

Owing to the continued rain yesterday, the Committee met at 2 p.m. and postponed the trip to Tuesday, Oct. 24. The roads were deemed too heavy for the autos to make schedule time. It was also decided to put Golden Pond on the list of places to be visited, the time being 3:30 in the afternoon. New bills will be taken or sent along the route in a day or two.

H. H. Abernathy and Morgan Boyd went over the route of the Caldwell-Trigg trip of the Boosters Tuesday and found a cordial welcome awaiting the visitors all along the route. They were also asked to put Golden Pond on the schedule, which is 3 miles from Canton, between the rivers. A detail will be sent there from Canton, as it is not practicable for all of the cars to be ferried across the river in time.

The meeting Monday night decided on the schedule that is given in this article and another meeting Tuesday night received a report of the pathfinders.

Lorenzo K. Wood and Pettus White decided yesterday to make the trip and will be given some speaking assignments. Both have it in them to make fine boosters, and both come from the territory to be covered.

Princeton has made a request for a visit, but this will be made later in connection with the Dawson trip.

The committee on automobiles were at work yesterday and expected to have no trouble getting all of the cars needed, about 20 to 25. It was made plain that any man who takes liquors on the trip will be unwelcome and will be exposed. It is to be a business trip and not a junket or a jamboree. Its high character will be maintained at all hazards.

SPEAKING SCHEDULE.

Leave Hopkinsville 7 a. m.	Miles.
Julien, 7:30 to 7:45,	10
Gracey, 8:05 to 8:20,	4
Cerulean, 8:45 to 9:15,	6
Wallonia, 9:45 to 10:05,	5
Cobb, 10:25 to 10:40,	5
Otter Pond, 10:55 to 11:10,	6
Hopson, 11:40 to 12:00,	4
Cadiz, 12:40 to 2:00, (Dinner.)	10
Canton, 2:40 to 3:20,	10
Golden Pond, 3:30 to 4:00,	3
Return from Canton without stops	30
Total	93

SPEAKERS.

Julien—R. E. Cooper, James West.
Gracey—C. R. Clark, Chas. M. Meacham, W. S. Peterson.
Cerulean—H. H. Abernathy, Chas. M. Meacham, T. C. Underwood.
Wallonia—J. T. Wall, W. O. Soyars, James West.
Cobb—C. R. Clark, H. H. Abernathy, R. E. Cooper.
Otter Pond—W. O. Soyars, Chas. M. Meacham.
Hopson—F. K. Yost, James West, L. K. Wood.

Cadiz—H. H. Abernathy, C. R. Clark, W. S. Peterson, J. T. Wall, R. E. Cooper, W. O. Soyars, James West, Chas. M. Meacham, L. E. Foster.

Canton—C. R. Clark, Jno. W. Richards, T. C. Underwood, Pettus White, R. E. Cooper, H. H. Abernathy, James West, W. O. Soyars.

Golden Pond—L. K. Wood, Chas. M. Meacham, L. E. Foster.

Lightning Hits Schoolhouse.

Barbourville, Ky., Oct. 18.—About 20 Negro pupils were injured, several seriously, when lightning struck the Barbourville colored graded school building. Ollie Tye and Bell Thompson may not recover.

EXTRAORDINARY SITUATION

Calls Forth the Following Statement to Newspaper Readers.

To newspaper readers of Kentucky:

The Executive Committee of the Kentucky Press Association wishes to bring to the attention of the newspaper readers and the friends of the press, the serious situation confronting the publishers at this time, and point out some facts which we feel should be communicated to you in our attempt to meet conditions recently thrust upon us. We do this after much thought on the matter, feeling that we are acting for the good of both publisher and reader. Doubtless you have been, or will be, called upon to pay a few cents more on your job work, and in some instances more for your paper and advertising in cases where subscriptions and advertising rates have been at the minimum.

In the interest of a free press we ask you to meet the advance cheerfully.

There may be ample excuse, slight excuse or no excuse to advance the prices on us as they have been advanced, but the fact remains that we are paying from 50 to 500 per cent more for our paper stock, inks, oils, gasoline, metal, etc., than we did eight months ago.

Paper makers insist that there must be a cutting down in the demand upon them; that they are working three shifts a day, and at this season of the year when they should be accumulating a reserve stock, they cannot supply the demand. Large publishers everywhere are trying to meet the suggestion of the paper makers by the strictest economy, in which they are cutting down the size of paper margins and granting no return of unsold papers. Small publishers have slight opportunity to economize in this manner. The Federal Trade Commission is deeply concerned and alarmed but so far seem powerless to suggest feasible or adequate relief methods. Under existing circumstances few newspapers can continue long without readjustment. Hundreds of the weaker ones have already gone under and many more are about to suspend.

There is a remedy and it lies in the strictest economy, advancement of rates on job work, advertising and subscriptions. It matters not how reluctant publishers are to do this, it will have to be done if they continue in business, and continue to be useful to their readers and patrons.

In conclusion, we call on persons who believe in the mission of a free press to co-operate with us in adjusting our business to these new and unheard of conditions.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Of the Kentucky Press Association. P. S. Since the above statement was prepared we note that a number of press associations have prepared similar statements to the public.

VISITING DAUGHTERS

Clarksville Chapter To Be Entertained By Local D. A. R.

The D. A. R. Chapter from Clarksville will visit the D. A. R. Chapter of this city to-morrow and be entertained at the Carnegie Library. Some time ago a number of the local Daughters went to Clarksville and were entertained and this is a return visit. A program has been prepared, including some remarks on Patriotic Women by Chas. M. Meacham.

Buys Mississippi Farm.

Mr. Emmet G. Logan, Jr., has just returned from Mississippi, where he purchased a farm of 900 acres, near Natchez. He will probably dispose of his farm holdings in Warren county, and go South to make his future residence.—B. G. Messenger.

RACE CARDS ARRANGED

Owners of Horses to Test Merits of Their Stables Friday and Saturday.

TO SETTLE CONFLICTS

Some Fast Trotters and Pacers To Be Seen Here This Week.

Lovers of horse racing will have the opportunity of seeing some fine sport at the Pennyroyal Fair grounds tomorrow and the next day, when a number of races are scheduled to be pulled off. There will be about 30 horses here for the event and an addition to the races there will be other attractions and interesting contests, giving each afternoon a full program. The races will be for the purpose of actually determining which horses out of a considerable number which have been making a circuit of southern fairs and which have been racing against each other this season, are really the best in their classes, and there will be the keenest sort of competition between the horse owners themselves.

Among the horse owners are Walter Hutchinson, of St. Louis; J. W. Tulis, of Galesburg, Ill.; J. W. Miller, of Hickman, Ky.; Tom Reynolds, of Chicago; J. T. Fowler, of Martinsville, Ind. Some of the horses and their records which will be here are:

Free for All Pacers—William Wallace, 2:09½; Alfreda, 2:09½; Minnie Burris, 2:11½; Wood's Daredevil, 2:10½; Lady of the Lake, 1:13½.

2:15 Pacers—J. P. T., 2:17; Paoli Boy, 2:19½; Lon E., 5:14½; Leu Bion, 2:18; Mary Laconda, 2:16½.

2:15 Trot—Chris Grathin, 2:18½; Onward Todd, 2:15½.

Green Stakes—Ben Johnson, Cash Cheek.

Free for All Trot—Red Streak, 2:11½; Pearl Ann, 2:12½; Ham Patterson, 2:09½; Mary Hutchins, 2:11½; Violben.

CIRCUIT COURT MOVING SLOWLY

Nearly All Important Cases Have Been Disposed Of This Week.

Little is being done in Circuit Court. The case of Blanch Leavell vs. City of Hopkinsville, one of the "Gully Street" damage suits, was left open for argument while Judge Breathitt went to Madisonville in the Keach case. It is thus left in an unsettled condition.

The Jesup will case, involving the property of the late Mrs. W. H. Jesup, has been continued.

Judge McCarroll is on the bench while Judge Bush is campaigning in Calloway.

CASEY RESIGNS



A. M. CASEY.

County Agent A. M. Casey has resigned and his resignation will be acted upon Saturday by the Crop Improvement Association.

OLLIE JAMES ON WILSON

President Prayed With His Cabinet That Peace Might Prevail.

In his speech at Madisonville Tuesday, Senator Ollie James, in the course of a great speech said:

"The only thing they've got against Wilson is that he didn't hang crepe on the door of the millions of American homes. They charge that he has written notes—yes he has, and is there anybody that can beat him writing them? If some other rulers across the Atlantic had written notes like those written by Woodrow Wilson there would have been no European war. With his notes he has wrung from the most militant power that ever brooded over battlefield absolute concessions in the matter of submarine warfare and made it conform to the demands of the United States.

"Behold whilst our president who loves mankind is busy grappling with foreign matters to keep us out of war, there be those who shoot him in the back.

"Behold Washington praying for victory at Valley Forge; behold Lincoln as he prays that the war of sections might be averted; behold Woodrow Wilson when he called the cabinet together to consider the Lusitania affair when he said to them: 'Gentlemen I don't know whether you believe in the efficacy of prayer or not, but I do,' and he knelt there with those men in his office and asked God that this country might be spared from war, and that 'prayer was answered.'

Senator James concluded his magnificent speech with this peroration: "Behold this nation is at peace—millions of toilers and happy homes with the family circle unbroken. When all of the turmoil and tribulation of this earth is over, and when we stand in the great white light of the judgment dawn, there will stand Woodrow Wilson with clean hands and a clear conscience, and the Master will say unto him: 'Blessed are the peace makers, for they shall inherit the Kingdom of Heaven.'"

SOCIAL CLUB ORGANIZED

Articles of Incorporation Are Filed With The County Clerk.

The Hopkinsville Social Club is the name of a corporation which filed articles with the County Clerk a few days ago. The incorporators are Walter Drake, Wm. S. West and Clint Drake. The purpose of the organization is to promote social feeling among its members and no private pecuniary benefits shall be derived therefrom. The corporation will have the power to buy, sell, own, hold lease and rent real estate. There is no capital stock.

DR. J. M. DENNIS

Aged Physician and Confederate Veteran is Dead.

Dr. J. M. Dennis died yesterday at the home of his son, in the county, aged 83 years. He was for many years a physician of this city and was a Confederate veteran. He had been an invalid from paralysis several years. He is survived by his wife and four children—Will, Medley and Morton Dennis and Miss Lalla Dennis. The funeral will be at Westminster church Friday morning at 10:30. Interment in Riverside Cemetery.

F. K. Yost, C. R. Clark, Geo. N. Duffer and J. O. Cook, four Hopkinsville boosters, went to Bowling Green in a car Tuesday as guests of Mr. Snyder at a barbecue given on an island in the river. They report a great time, and they of course availed themselves of an opportunity to boost Hopkinsville.

GREEK RAGE AT ALLIES BOILING

Athenians in Fierce Demonstrations For King After Marines Occupy City.

CLASHES NEARLY MISSED

Austro-German Offensive in Galicia Nets Trenches on Front of Over Mile.

London, Oct. 18.—Volhynia, Galicia and Transylvania are still the points where the heaviest fighting is taking place. Along the Somme front in France, bombardments alone have prevailed, except to the east of Bello-en-Santerre, where the Germans threw two attacks against the French, only to be repulsed.

In Macedonia, the hostilities have been confined mainly to patrol engagements and artillery duels. Bad weather has set in throughout the Austro-Italian theater and with snow in the mountains and rain in the valley, little fighting of moment has taken place.

Continuing their offensive in Galicia, the Austro-Germans according to both Berlin and Vienna, have taken trenches over a front of 1½ miles from the Russians and made prisoner thirty officers and 1,900 men. West of Lutsk, in Volhynia, the Russians attacked violently many times, but according to Vienna, were everywhere repulsed with great losses. In the southern Carpathians, near Dornawatra, additional heights have been taken from the Russians by the Teutonic allies.

In Transylvania the Rumanians fighting near the border passes, continue tenaciously to hold back the Austro-Germans almost everywhere. In the Uzul valley, they have driven the invaders back across the Rumanian border.

With the occupation of Athens and Piraeus by marines from the fleet of the entente powers, and intense situation has arisen in Athens. Great crowds of royalists have paraded the streets of the Greek capital cheering the king and cordons of Greek troops and marines have been thrown about the railroad stations, city hall and other points occupied by the entente forces to prevent clashes between them and the royalists. An unofficial dispatch says Admiral Du Fournet was hissed by the throngs in the streets of Athens and that a detachment of French sailors was driven back by the hostile crowd.

King Constantine in a speech to the officers of his fleet told them he would stand by them, no matter what consequences might follow their loyalty to Greece.

Vice Admiral Fournet, commander of the Anglo-French fleet in the Mediterranean has handed the Greek government a new note of an extremely grave character, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Athens, dated Monday. Following the presentation of the note King Constantine, it is added, came to the capital in haste from the royal residence at Tatoi. An urgent cabinet council has been summoned.

The entente allies have taken over the Greek battleships Kilgis, formerly the United States battleship Idaho, the Lemnos, formerly the Mississippi, and the Averoff, says Reuter's Athens correspondent.

Allied crews were put on board the battleships, the correspondent says, and the Greek crews were landed and sent to Athens.

On Oct. 11 the allies took over the entire Greek fleet except the Kilgis, Lemnos and Averoff.

Saturday's Primary.

Ballots are being printed for the mayor's primary Saturday, containing the names of the five candidates. The names are arranged alphabetically to start with, but with every 50 ballots the top name is transferred to the bottom of the list. There is no device on the ballot and nothing to indicate the politics of any candidate.